UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE EASTERN DIVISION

ALPHONSO RICHARDSON,)
Plaintiff,)
VS.) No. 19-1263-JDT-cgc
QUALITY CORRECTIONAL HEALTHCARE, ET AL.,)))
Defendants.)

ORDER DISMISSING CASE, CERTIFYING AN APPEAL WOULD NOT BE TAKEN IN GOOD FAITH AND NOTIFYING PLAINTIFF OF APPELLATE FILING FEE

On September 3, 2020, the Court issued an order directing Plaintiff Alphonso Richardson, the *pro se* prisoner Plaintiff, to file a single amended complaint that includes all of his claims and complies with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 8(a). (ECF No. 18.) Richardson was warned that if he failed to comply within twenty-one days, the Court would dismiss the case without further notice for failure to prosecute. (*Id.* at PageID 102.)

Richardson has not filed an amended complaint as directed, and the time within which to do so has expired. Therefore, this case is DISMISSED without prejudice in its entirety pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(b) for failure to prosecute and to comply with the Court's order.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) and Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 24(a), it is CERTIFIED that an appeal by Richardson in this matter would not be taken in good faith. If Richardson nevertheless chooses to file a notice of appeal, he must either pay the entire \$505

appellate filing fee or submit, in compliance with 28 U.S.C. §§ 1915(a)-(b), a new *in forma* pauperis affidavit and a current copy of his inmate trust account statement for the last six months.

The Clerk is directed to prepare a judgment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ **James D. Todd**JAMES D. TODD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE